CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1. (Original) An upright cyclone vacuum cleaner comprising:

an upper casing housing an electric motor having an output shaft and a suction fan mounted upon the output shaft,

- a cylindrical cyclone chamber situated beneath the suction fan and having an inlet port, a longitudinal axis of the cyclone chamber being co-linear with the output shaft,
- a cylindrical dust receptacle situated beneath the cyclone chamber, a longitudinal axis of the dust receptacle being co-linear with the output shaft,
 - a funnel delimiting the cyclone chamber from the dust receptacle, and
- a pickup head situated beneath the dust receptacle and communicating with the inlet port via a duct.
- 2. (Currently Amended) The vacuum cleaner of Claim 1 wherein the pickup head has a rotary brush therein caused to rotate my by airflow induced by the suction fan.
- 3. (Original) The vacuum cleaner of Claim 1 wherein the cyclone chamber includes an upper tube having a frusto-conical inlet opening.
- 4. (Original) The vacuum cleaner of Claim 1 further comprising a pan attached to the dust receptacle.